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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 4, 2007, having a three month shortened statutory period for reply which expired July 4, 2007, and is extended until October 4, 2007, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claims 1-22 are cancelled and Claims 23-37 have been added.